

GREECE PROMISES ALL ALLIES ASK

Reply to Ultimatum Asks
Entente to Lift the
Blockade

GUNFIRE FORCED QUEEN INTO CELLAR

Kaiser's Sister and Chil-
dren Imperilled by Allies' Bombardment

London, Dec. 16.—The acceptance by Greece of the Allied ultimatum is complete, at least in form, according to an Athens dispatch to Reuters. Greece says that it is desirous of giving another manifest proof of the sincerely friendly sentiments which have always animated it toward the Entente.

The reply to the Entente says that no hostile movements of troops have ever taken place or been projected, and that the transfer of material northward will immediately cease. Orders have already been given, it is stated, regarding the movements of troops and war material and will be carried out as rapidly as possible.

In respect to the attack on British and French marines in Athens on December 1, the government declares that it desires to give every legitimate satisfaction and refers to its proposals to arbitrate. It expresses the hope that the Allied powers will reconsider their decision to continue the blockade, which, it adds, is straining relations and impressing public opinion. The reply concludes with the expression of a desire by the government and people of Greece for a resumption of the excellent traditional conditions which previously existed between Greece and the Entente nations.

Fire of Allies Forced Greek Queen Into Cellar

Berlin, Dec. 13 (Wednesday), (by wireless via Sayville), Dec. 16 (delayed).—Advises received here from Athens give the following account of the recent clash between Greek and Entente troops:

The collision was provoked and started by the forces of Vice-Admiral de Fourmet, then commander of the Allied squadron in Greek waters. This force was landed at night and began at dawn a surprise march to Athens. This march was continued notwithstanding efforts of leaders on both sides to have it stopped.

The bombardment of the Royal Palace was opened without warning. The Queen, sister of the Emperor of Germany, and the royal children were forced hastily to take refuge in the cellars of the palace during the firing, which continued three hours.

Fighting between loyal troops and partisans of former Premier Venizelos, which began on the first day, developed on the second day into a street battle. Well armed Venizelists fired from houses upon the troops and even upon civilians. But the loyal forces eventually were able to suppress the uprising. Before the expiration of the ultimatum the loyal troops were reinforced by several thousand volunteers, as it had been expected the Entente would resort to forcible means to obtain compliance with its demands.

Germany's Consul Dies When Arrested by Allies

Berlin, Dec. 16 (by wireless to Sayville).—The German Austro-Hungarian and Turkish residents of the Greek island of Syra were arrested by an Entente detachment which landed there, according to official reports.

"The German Consul," adds the Overseas News Agency, "died twenty-four hours later from the effects of the abominable treatment he received. He was seventy years old. He was a Greek subject named Dallegao, who had been for thirty-three years in the German service.

"Entente detachments on a previous occasion had inflicted similar treatment upon Consul Orstein, seventy-three years old, on the island of Chios.

An Athens dispatch on November 29 reported the deportation from Syra to Mulla, on board a warship, of the German Consul there, whose name was given as G. Dallegao, with Suleyman Bey, the Turkish Consul at Syra, and the families of the two consuls.

PLEDGES INQUIRY IN PAPER CHARGES

Federal Commissioner
Says Responsibility May
Be Placed Soon

(From The Tribune Bureau.)
Washington, Dec. 16.—"If the present situation continues much longer the commission, I think, will be in a position to place the responsibility where it belongs," declared Commissioner Davies at the joint conference here today of the Federal Trade Commission and committees of the publishers and manufacturers of news print paper.

This announcement was made at the close of the conference, which was called to effect immediate relief of the news print situation. Commissioner Davies, who presided, also announced that the investigation would be continued by the commission.

Frank P. Glass, of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, told the commission that it was the opinion of the paper consumers generally "that there exists some manner of control of paper prices and distribution," and urged that, in view of the fact that "many publishers feel the publicity of complaints on their part will jeopardize their supply of paper, the investigation to fix the responsibility for this condition be hastened."

Speaking in behalf of the larger publishers Mr. Glass said:

"When, early in 1916, the paper manufacturers asserted that consumption was exceeding production, a great many publishers undertook to reduce their consumption of paper by reducing the number of pages printed, by cutting off all free papers, exchanges, returns and in many other ways. These publishers were able to cut down their requirements very materially, in some cases effecting an economy of from 25 to 30 per cent, the aggregate on a very conservative estimate being not less than 60,000 tons in the last six months.

"But all these efforts on the part of the publishers have failed to bring the relief desired. For it appears that as fast as newspapers have reduced their requirements the output of the mills has been cut down by transferring machines from news print to other grades of paper."

N. Y. FARMER KILLS WOLF

Stock Raider First Seen in Western Part of State in Seventy Years
(By Telegraph to The Tribune.)
Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 16.—Edward Andrews, a farmer living near Maple, shot and killed a large gray timber wolf in the woods on his farm today. The wolf is the first specimen of its kind seen in Western New York in seventy years. It was more than seven feet long and weighed 160 pounds.

During the last month the depredations of the animal had been enormous. Cattle and sheep were killed in Ontario, Yates and Steuben counties. Stock valued at \$400 was killed last week on the west side of Otsego Lake.

MAILS BAR COTTON IMPORTS

Postmaster Morgan Announces New Regulation by Secretary of Agriculture
Postmaster Morgan has announced that owing to the amendments to the regulations governing the importation of cotton and cotton seed into the United States, issued by the Secretary of Agriculture under authority conferred by the Plant Quarantine act of August 30, 1912, raw or unmanufactured cotton and cotton seed (including seed cotton) and cotton seed hulls are prohibited importation in the mails from any foreign country, except from the locality of the Imperial Valley, in the State of Lower California, Mexico, effective November 4, 1916.

The notice on page 128 of the Postal Guide for July, 1916, is modified accordingly.

WILL PASS TARNOWSKI

Allied Naval Commanders Ordered to Let Austrian Ambassador Through
Washington, Dec. 16.—Ambassador Page at London today officially notified the State Department that the allied naval commanders had been instructed to grant unhindered passage to Count Tarnowski, the new Ambassador to the United States from Austria-Hungary. The Entente powers receded from their refusal to do so on representations by the American government.

EXPECT BELGIAN EXILING TO STOP

Officials at Washington
Watch for Softening of
German Policy

Washington, Dec. 16.—While the diplomatic controversy with Germany over Belgian deportations temporarily is in abeyance, officials are watching carefully for any indication of a softening of the German attitude as a result of the protests of the United States, Spain, Holland, Switzerland and the Vatican. It would occasion no surprise here if the German policy were quietly modified, despite the Berlin government's declaration that the measures taken were necessary and in accordance with international law.

It has been indicated that the government's course will be determined by public opinion as it crystallizes, but there are indications that should the practices complained of be discontinued, the American protest would not be pressed further. Officials think that the decision would be put into effect quietly, and probably would not be accompanied by a public announcement.

Should the State Department's information during the next few weeks indicate, however, that the deportations are continuing unchecked, it is not unlikely that some further step might be decided upon to emphasize the American protest.

Officials are understood to have been much impressed by such expressions of approval for their stand as were voiced at the protest meeting held last night in New York and by many mes-

sages of commendation which have reached the White House and the State Department.

Just what further action the United States could take, however, is problematical. In some quarters it has been suggested that the department's information regarding conditions in Belgium, said to be at variance with statements in the German reply to the American protest, be made public. Such a step might lead to a fruitless and perhaps embarrassing controversy over facts.

There also have been suggestions that an effort be made for joint action with other neutrals to mobilize world opinion in protest against the German policy, but from the beginning of the war the United States has studiously refrained as a matter of principle from joining in any concerted diplomatic representations.

WOMEN CAPTURE HONORS IN DESIGN EXHIBITION

Original American Themes Shown in the Metropolitan Museum

An exhibition "Original American Designs for Textiles" opened yesterday in the Metropolitan Museum of Art and will continue one week. There are about three hundred designs, most of them by young American girls—and fourteen of the twenty-three prize winners are women.

The prizes, aggregating \$575, were awarded yesterday by a committee consisting of Henry W. Kent, secretary of the Metropolitan Museum; M. D. C. Crawford, textile research associate, and Albert Blum, a textile design expert of Lodi, N. J. The first prize, \$100, went to a Frenchwoman, Mlle. Gabrielle Durant de Sumene. The second prize, \$75, went to Miss Martha Ryther, a nineteen-year-old New York girl; a man won the third prize, \$50, it was A. Flory.

The purpose of the contest was to help establish a school of American design, and the prize money was put up by "Women's Wear," a trade paper. The only conditions of the contest were that the designs be original and applicable to American fabrics. The bulk of the 1,247 contestants were inspired by the fabrics woven by the Indians.

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